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SUBJECT: VISAS: REFUSAL OF "J" VISAS TO PHYSICIANS AND
FAMILIES

REFERENCE: EMBASSY'S 4178

PERSONS WHO HAVE NOT ESTABLISHED RESIDENCE ABROAD WHICH
THEY HAVE NO INTENTION OF ABANDONING SHOULD NOT BE
DOCUMENTED AS EXCHANGE VISITORS ON "J" VISAS.

ANY EXCHANGE VISITOR WHO HAS APPLIED FOR AN IMMIGRANT VISA
WILL NOT REPEAT NOT BE DOCUMENTED BY ECFMG AFTER JANUARY 1,
1976 FOR CONTINUED TRAINING OR RENEWALS IN EXCHANGE VISITOR
STATUS.

STATISTICS DEVELOPED SINCE ENACTMENT PL 91-225 ON APRIL 7,
1970 DEFINITELY INDICATE THAT FOREIGN MEDICAL GRADUATES
ARE USING EXCHANGE VISITOR PROGRAM AS VEHICLE TO CIRCUM-
VENT BASIC PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE OF EXCHANGE VISITOR
PROGRAM.

IF FMG DOES NOT HAVE RESIDENCE AT HOME WHICH HE DOES NOT
INTEND TO ABANDON, HE SHOULD NOT BE DOCUMENTED EITHER
INITIALLY OR FOR RENEWAL OF AN EXCHANGE VISITOR VISA. IF
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FMG PLANS TO IMMIGRATE TO U.S. HE (OR SHE) SHOULD BE

ADVISED TO APPLY FOR AN IMMIGRANT VISA RATHER THAN A
NONIMMIGRANT "J" VISA.

SPONSORSHIP OF TRAINING FOR AN EXCHANGE VISITOR BEGINS AT
THE MOMENT HE OR SHE IS DOCUMENTED ON A "J" VISA. IF A
VISITOR SUBSEQUENTLY APPLIES FOR AN IMMIGRANT VISA, HE
OR SHE SHOULD NOT (REPEAT NOT) EXPECT TO BE DOCUMENTED
FOR FURTHER TRAINING AS EXCHANGE VISITOR AS ECFMG WILL
NOT ISSUE DSP-66 FOR RENEWALS AFTER JANUARY 1, 1976 IF
EXCHANGE VISITOR HAS APPLIED FOR IMMIGRANT STATUS. KISSINGER

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